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Women's Weather Watch Updates: 2017 (November, December) (/index.php/en/actions/archive/595-women-s-weather-watch-updates-2017-november-december)

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Last WWW webpage: <http://www.femlinkpacific.org.fj/index.php/en/actions/archive/592-women-s-weather-watch-updates-2017-september-october> (/index.php/en/actions/archive/592-women-s-weather-watch-updates-2017-september-october)

24 December

Special Weather Bulletin Number EIGHTEEN ON HEAVY RAIN ISSUED FROM RSMC NADI AT 11.00PM Saturday the 23rd of December 2017.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159964900535093>
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23 December

Report via Islands Business Magazine

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159960708675093>
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Special Weather Bulletin Number TWELVE FOR HEAVY RAIN ISSUED FROM RSMC NADI AT 5.00AM on Saturday the 23rd of December 2017.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159960070405093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159960070405093>)

22 December

Women's Weather Watch (Fiji)

Podcast: <https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957499175093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957499175093>)

After speaking to Ravind Kumar, Director of the Fiji Meteorological Services, Rolls speaks to Vani Tuvuki, leader of the Koronubu Women's Fellowship in Ba, and Sarojani Gounder, an advisory councillor in Tavua, who share what their seeing in terms of the developing weather and how their communities are faring.

<https://soundcloud.com/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-dec17-td04f-afternoon-update-22nd>
(<https://soundcloud.com/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-dec17-td04f-afternoon-update-22nd>)

In light of #TD04F (https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/td04f?source=feed_text&story_id=10159957413395093) approaching, stay tuned to weather updates and plan accordingly. Safety First at all times

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957413395093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957413395093>)

TD04F might mean we're in for a wet Christmas!

In our next #womensweatherwatch (https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/womensweatherwatch?source=feed_text&story_id=10159957269895093) update, we speak to Fiji Met's Ravind Kumar who stresses that while we may be prepping for Christmas, keep updated as the wet weather may not clear by Monday.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957269895093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957269895093>)

Update via Fiji Village:

The Nadi Weather Office says there is no immediate threat of a tropical cyclone for Fiji however a wet weekend is heading our way.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957215480093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159957215480093>)

Podcast: <https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159956233060093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159956233060093>)

With TD04F bringing a wet weekend, FemTALK89FM caught up with a few rural women leaders this morning - Nila Rao, Jashnita Reddy and Dimakita Lena (Adi Ma). They shared how they've been keeping their communities updated and the preparedness measures they have been seeing.

<https://soundcloud.com/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-dec17-td04-morning-update-22nd>
(<https://soundcloud.com/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-dec17-td04-morning-update-22nd>)

Women's Weather Watch: Fiji TD04F

Special Weather Bulletin Number FIVE ISSUED FROM RSMC NADI AT 8.00AM

A HEAVY RAIN WARNING REMAINS IN FORCE FOR THE FIJI GROUP.

SITUATION: An active trough of low pressure with associated cloud and rain remains slow moving over Fiji.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955944830093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955944830093>)

Women's Weather Watch: Fiji Update

Source: Islands Business Magazine

NORTHERN Fiji should expect heavy rain with possible flash flooding from tonight from a Tropical Disturbance (TD04F) Northwest of Rotuma and heading slowly towards the group (Friday).

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955502900093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955502900093>)

Women's Weather Watch: Fiji TDO4F

Special Weather Bulletin Number FOUR FOR HEAVY RAIN ISSUED FROM RSMC NADI AT 5.00AM on Friday the 22nd of December 2017.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955497485093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159955497485093>)

21 December

GPPAC Pacific Update: #womensweatherwatch (https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/womensweatherwatch?source=feed_text&story_id=10159953521975093) is a peacebuilding tool in Bougainville

The #womensweatherwatch SMS system was used to support womens peace action in Bougainville says Agnes Titus

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953521975093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953521975093>)

Women's Weather Watch: Fiji TDO4F

Via Department of Information

A trough of low pressure with associated cloud and rain lies to the north of Fiji and drifting onto the country. In the meantime, a Tropical Disturbance (TD04F) analysed near Vanuatu along the trough is expected to intensify into a Tropical Depression and slowly move towards Fiji and has a low to moderate chance of developing into a Tropical Cyclone over Fiji Waters.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953321205093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953321205093>)

Women's Weather Watch: Fiji, Special Weather Bulletin for TDO4F

Special Weather Bulletin Number ONE FOR HEAVY RAIN ISSUED FROM RSMC NADI AT 4.30PM on Thursday the 21st of December 2017.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953274805093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159953274805093>)

8 December

Women's Weather Watch Goes Regional

press release – 8th December, 2017

A regional women's radio campaign is promoting gender inclusive disaster risk reduction and recovery in Fiji, Solomon Islands, Tonga and Vanuatu.

Read more: <https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-goes-regional/10156007454849295/>
(<https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-goes-regional/10156007454849295/>)

30 November

Women's Weather Watch: 'Women Are Spearheaders of Development' - NDMO

At a global level, the discourse has often featured the phrase along the lines of 'women and children are the most affected by disasters'.

Read more: <https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-women-are-spearheaders-of-development-ndmo/10155984726439295/> (<https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/womens-weather-watch-women-are-spearheaders-of-development-ndmo/10155984726439295/>)

28 November

FemTALK: HEROWINS 5 Launched!

A comic book series that highlights femLINKpacific's Women's Weather Watch model continues to amplify the contributions of rural women leaders as first responders.

Read more: <https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/femtalk-herowins-5-launched/10155980287959295/>
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27 November

Who Makes the News: Women's Weather Watch - "Women's Weather Watch was telling us you have to be prepared, stock everything inside your house, do everything you can do to be safe," remembers Unaisi Bakewa, a mother of seven who sells vegetables at the Tavua market.

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159843247970093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159843247970093>)

23 November

We've just wrapped up production of a new season of Radio with Pictures bringing you everyday HeroWINS discussing Women's Weather Watch and The Official 16 Days of Activism Against Gender Violence Campaign (<https://www.facebook.com/16DaysCampaign/?fref=mentions>) - stay tuned to Fiji Television for broadcast details and FemTALK 89FM Suva and Labasa for the conversations including the podcasts !

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159826033690093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159826033690093>)

22 November

Heavy Rain Alert

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159820553185093>
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<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159822752820093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159822752820093>)

21 November

Transport and Infrastructure Matters

Since TC Winston women leaders from our Rural Women Leaders community media network have highlighted just why infrastructure and transport matters to women.

Read more: <https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159815424820093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159815424820093>)

Today we launched the 5th edition of our HEROWINS comic on Day 1 of our 2nd Women's Weather Watch National Consultation of 2017

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159817502120093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159817502120093>)

20 November

FemTALK: Shining Spotlight on Women as Leaders, Peacebuilders, First Responders

press release – 20th November, 2017

This week, femLINKpacific will be holding its 2nd Women's Weather Watch National Consultation for 2017 with more than 30 women leaders of all diversities from the Central, Northern and Western Divisions of Fiji.

Read more: <https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/femtalk-shining-spotlight-on-women-as-leaders-peacebuilders-first-responders/10155959130014295/> (<https://www.facebook.com/notes/femlinkpacific/femtalk-shining-spotlight-on-women-as-leaders-peacebuilders-first-responders/10155959130014295/>)

16 November

COP23 (<https://www.facebook.com/COP23fj/?fref=mentions>) Op-Ed by President Hilda Heine

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159794059835093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159794059835093>)

15 November

Four ways women are leading climate action

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159790443395093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159790443395093>)

13 November

Women's Weather Watch: Pacific Region Tropical Cyclone Outlook Summary

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159780683135093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159780683135093>)

Morning Weather Update via Fiji Met

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159779766450093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159779766450093>)

11 November

Podcast: Heavy Rain Warning - Viliame Vereivalu (11th)

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Heavy Rain Warning for Fiji

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(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159772555860093>)

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159771513075093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159771513075093>)

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159771495115093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159771495115093>)

Our Weekend Update: Will Policymakers Listen to Climate Change Science This Time Around?

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159769568710093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159769568710093>)

10 November

#MindTheGAP (https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/mindthegap?source=feed_text&story_id=10159767235300093): COP23 (<https://www.facebook.com/COP23fj/?fref=mentions>) highlights of the week

Feminists calling for a robust Gender Action Plan (GAP) as an outcome of the climate negotiations (COP23)

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159767235300093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159767235300093>)

5 November

Flood Alerts in Fiji

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159746020850093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159746020850093>)

Wet days ahead around the country. Aruna Devi shares today's pictorial updates from Makoi. femLINK's rural women leaders in Rakiraki are also sharing that they are seeing the welcomed rain continue. But take precautions as low lying areas may flood. (Photos)

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159745150720093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159745150720093>)

Our Weekend Update: Feminist Demands at COP23 (<https://www.facebook.com/COP23fj/?fref=mentions>)

The We Rise Coalition member DIVA for Equality is in Bonn, Germany for the COP23 Climate Change Negotiations along with WEDO and other allies of the Women and Gender Constituency (WGC), with a set of strong collective demands

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159741993475093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159741993475093>)

4 November

Our Weekend Update: Women Speak: Stories, Case Studies And Solutions From The Frontlines Of Climate Change

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159741612210093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159741612210093>)

3 November

World Tsunami Awareness Day is on November 5th

<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159734821900093>
(<https://www.facebook.com/femlinkpacific/posts/10159734821900093>)

Waiting for the Rain

From the desolate land awaiting the rains for farming to commence to Mere who seeks out any sign of green grass whether along the road or up on the hills and Lakshmi, Prem Lata and Rohini Lata tending their vegetable farms in Galela. (Photos)

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